## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

ANTHONY JOHN VENERI, JR., :

Petitioner, :

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v. : CIVIL ACTION NO. 20-CV-3561

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COMMONWEALTH OF :
PENNSYLVANIA, :
Respondent. :

## **ORDER**

AND NOW, this **19**<sup>th</sup> day of **August**, **2020**, upon consideration of Plaintiff Anthony John Veneri, Jr.'s Motion to Proceed *In Forma Pauperis* (ECF No. 3), and *pro se* Petition for a Writ of Mandamus (ECF No. 1) it is **ORDERED** that:

- 1. Leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* is **GRANTED** pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915.
- 2. The Petition for a Writ of Mandamus is **DEEMED** filed.
- 3. The Petition for a Writ of Mandamus is **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** as frivolous for the reasons in the Court's Memorandum.
  - 4. The Clerk of Court shall **CLOSE** this case.

## **BY THE COURT:**

/s/ Eduardo C. Robreno
EDUARDO C. ROBRENO, J.